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## REQUEST FOR EQUIVALENCY

1999 SBC 103.7 and 2003 NFPA 101 1.4 allow the Authority Having Jurisdiction to permit alternative systems, methods, or devices that differ from those prescribed by Code. **These systems, methods, or devices must be equivalent or superior to those required by code.** This form must be completed by the building designer and approved by this office prior to plan approval. Please note that all approvals are specific to this project only and are not necessarily transferable to other projects.

TFM #:

Date:

Architect/Engineer:

License Number:

Project:

City/County:

**Identify the Code(s) that equivalence is requested to replace:**

**Identify the alternative system, method, or device:**

**Explain how this alternative is equivalent or superior to that required by Code (use attachments if necessary):**

TO BE FILLED OUT BY LEAD PLAN REVIEWER	
APPROVED	
DENIED	
	Signature of Lead Plan Reviewer Date
	Plan Reviewer

08/27/2004